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JNPT PROJECT
RAMSHETH THAKUR

Will the Minister of SHIPPING be pleased to state:

(a) the total number of persons affected by JNPT project and the number out of them were given jobs in JNPT;

(b) the time by which the remaining persons will be given jobs; and

(c) the rate at which land was procured from the people for JNPT project along with the market value of the said land at that time?

Answer

MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF SHIPPING (SHRI SHRIPAD Y. NAIK)

(a) A total of 3016 landowners were affected by the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Project. Out of this, the port has provided direct employment to 903 and indirect employment to 1648 Project Affected Persons (PAPs).

(b) It will not be possible to specify a time frame for giving employment to the remaining PAPs.

(c) The port acquired the land from the landowners at the rate of Rs.30,000 per acre in the year 1984. During that time the City Industrial Development Corporation of Maharashtra Ltd. has been acquiring land at the rate of Rs.15,000 per acre around the Jawaharlal Nehru Port Area.